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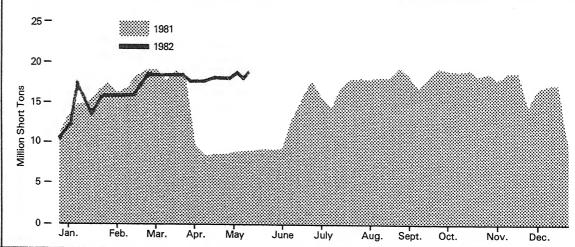
Production of bituminous coal and lignite in the week ended May 15, 1982, as estimated by the Energy Information Administration, was 17,581,000 short tons. This was an increase of 132,000 short tons, or 0.8 percent from production in the previous week. Production in the corresponding week of 1981 was 8,947,000 short tons. Bituminous coal and lignite production from January 1 through May 15, 1982 totaled 325,445,000 short tons, up 21.2 percent from production in 1981.

Production of Pennsylvania anthracite in the week ended May 15, 1982, as estimated by the Energy Information Administration, was 130,000 short tons, an increase of 1,000 short tons or 0.8 percent from production in the previous week. Production in the corresponding week of 1981 was 50,000 short tons. Anthracite production from January 1 through May 15, 1982 totaled 2,418,000 short tons, up 19.3 percent from production in 1981.

Figure 1. United States Bituminous Coal and Lignite Production, 1982 (Million Short Tons)



Table 1. United States
Bituminous Coal and
Lignite Production
(Thousand Short Tons)



_	Week Ending			Year to Date		
	5/15/82	5/8/82	5/16/81 ^a	5/15/82	5/16/81 ^a	Percent Change
Total Production	17,581 118,818	17,449 117,941	8,947 62,534	325,445 2,194,454	268,490 1,883,888	+21.2

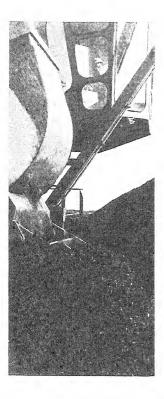
^aRevised.

Source: Weekly carloading reports, Car Service Division, and Association of American Railroads.



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Table 2. Production of Bituminous Coal and Lignite, by State (Thousand Short Tons)



State		Week Ending	
	May 15, 1982	May 8, 1982	May 16, 1981 ^a
Alabama	572	568	44
	16	16	14
	221	219	294
ArkansasColoradoGeorgia	4 402 -	4 398 –	5 373
Illinois	1,305	1,295	2
	642	638	224
	12	12	13
Kansas Kentucky	16	16	19
Eastern	2,309	2,291	1,320
	883	877	342
	3,192	3,168	1,662
Maryland	86	86	80
Missouri	110	110	47
Montana	683	677	740
New Mexico	402	398	323
	366	364	337
	823	817	293
Oklahoma	112	112	68
	1,767	1,753	777
	201	199	150
Texas	663	657	615
	301	299	127
	883	877	506
Washington	104	104	119
	2,570	2,550	105
	2,128	2,112	2,010
Total	17,581	17,449	8,947

aRevised.

Source: Weekly carloading reports, Car Service Division, Association of American Railroads, and selected State agencies.

Figure 2. Pennsylvania Anthracite Production, 1982 (Thousand Short Tons)



250 -1981 1982 200 -50 -Feb. Mar. Jan. Apr. May June July Oct. Nov. Aug. Sept. Dec.

Table 3. United States Anthracite Production (Thousand Short Tons)

	Week Ending		Year to Date			
_	5/15/82	5/8/82	5/16/81 ^a	5/15/82	5/16/81 ^a	Percent Change
Total Production		129 154	50 279	2,418 3,825	2,027 4,212	+19.3

aRevised.

Source: Weekly carloading reports, Car Service Division, and Association of American Railroads.



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